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AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions of the claims and listing of the claims in the application:

- 1. A method for treating a subject for glaucoma, comprising: (Original) administering a therapeutically effective amount of a deprenyl compound to a subject such that the subject is treated for glaucoma.
- The method of claim 1, wherein the deprenyl compound is represented by the 2. (Original) structure:

$$R_4 - R_3 - CH - N$$
 $R_2 R_5 - R_6$

in which

R₁ is hydrogen, alkyl, alkenyl, alkynyl, aralkyl, alkylcarbonyl, arylcarbonyl, alkoxycarbonyl, or aryloxycarbonyl;

R₂ is hydrogen or alkyl;

 R_3 is a single bond, alkylene, or $-(CH_2)_n-X-(CH_2)_m-$;

in which X is O, S, or N-methyl; m is 1 or 2; and n is 0, 1, or 2;

R₄ is alkyl, alkenyl, alkynyl, heterocyclyl, aryl or aralkyl; and

R₅ is alkylene, alkenylene, alkynylene and alkoxylene; and

R₆ is C₃-C₆ cycloalkyl or

R₂ and R₄-R₃ are joined to form, together with the methine to which they are attached, a cyclic or polycyclic group;

and pharmaceutically acceptable salts thereof.

The method of claim 2, wherein R_1 is a group that can be removed in vivo. 3. (Original)

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- 4. (Original) The method of claim 2, wherein R_1 is hydrogen.
- 5. (Original) The method of claim 2, wherein R_1 is alkyl.
- The method of claim 5, wherein R_1 is methyl. 6. (Original)
- (Original) The method of claim 2, wherein R_2 is methyl. 7.
- The method of claim 2, wherein R₃ is methylene. 8. (Original)
- 9. The method of claim 2, wherein R_4 is aryl. (Original)
- The method of claim 2, wherein R_4 is phenyl. 10. (Original)
- 11. (Original) The method of claim 2, wherein R_5 is methylene.
- 12. (Original) The method of claim 2, wherein R₆ is

13. (Original) The method of claim 2, wherein the deprenyl compound has the structure

$$R_1$$
 $CH_2-C\equiv CH$

wherein R₁ is hydrogen, alkyl, alkenyl, alkynyl, aralkyl, alkylcarbonyl, arylcarbonyl, alkoxycarbonyl, or aryloxycarbonyl.

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14. The method of claim 2, wherein the deprenyl compound is represented by the (Original) structure:

$$R_4 - R_3 - CH - N$$
 R_2
 $CH_2 - C \equiv CH$

in which

1.

R₁ is hydrogen, alkyl, alkenyl, alkynyl, aralkyl, alkylcarbonyl, arylcarbonyl, alkoxycarbonyl, or aryloxycarbonyl;

R₂ is hydrogen or alkyl;

R₃ is a bond or methylene; and

R₄ is aryl or aralkyl; or

R₂ and R₄-R₃ are joined to form, together with the methine to which they are attached, a cyclic or polycyclic group;

and pharmaceutically acceptable salts thereof.

15. The method of claim 2, wherein the deprenyl compound is represented by the (Original) structure:

$$R_4 - R_3 - CH - N$$

 $R_2 R_5 - C \equiv CH$

in which

R₂ is hydrogen or alkyl;

R₃ is a bond or methylene; and

R₄ is aryl or aralkyl; or

R₂ and R₄-R₃ are joined to form, together with the methine to which they are attached, a cyclic or polycyclic group; and

R₅ is alkylene, alkenylene, alkynylene and alkoxylene;

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16. (Currently Amended) The method of claim 2, wherein the deprenyl compound is represented by the structure:

$$\begin{array}{c} \stackrel{A_n}{\longleftarrow} \\ -\text{CH}_2 - \stackrel{}{\text{CH}}_2 - \stackrel{}{\text{CH}}_2 \\ \stackrel{}{\text{CH}}_3 & \text{CH}_2 - \text{C} \equiv \text{CH} \end{array}$$

in which

R₁ is hydrogen, alkyl, alkenyl, aralkyl, alkylcarbonyl, arylcarbonyl, alkoxycarbonyl, or aryloxycarbonyl;

A is a substituent independently selected for each occurrence from the group consisting of halogen, hydroxyl, alkyl, alkoxyl, cyano, nitro, amino, carboxyl, -CF₃, or azido; n is 0 or an integer from 1 to 5; and pharmaceutically acceptable salts thereof.

- 17. (Original) The method of claim 1, wherein the deprenyl compound is (-)-deprenyl.
- 18. (Original) The method of claim 1, wherein the deprenyl compound is (-)-pargyline.
- 19. (Original) The method of claim 1, wherein the deprenyl compound is (-)-desmethyldeprenyl.
- 20. (Cancelled)